CHESTNUT GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Senger accompained Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hicks of Richmond to South Hill Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Perkins.

Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Harris were Paul Manis and Mrs. Bettie Carr, both of Deverville, Tenn., Hugh Manis of Ashville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wayne Cook of Dillwyn were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook.

The Rev. Robert E. Johnson of Richmond was Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Hickman.

Gladys Morris of Bethesda, Maryland was a week end visitor of Mrs. Beulah Morris and brother, Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Beasley, Jr. and Kathy were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Katherine Carson at Spout Spring and Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cook of Dillwyn.

In celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Harris' fifty-third wedding anniversary they were dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pete F. Harris at a Lynchburg restaurant Sunday. Visitors in the R. L. Harris home Sunday were Flood Harris of Green Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Harris of Dillwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beasley of Roanoke were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Beasley, Sr. Sunday supper guest were Donald Webb, Nancy Cawthorne both of Appomattox; Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Beasley, Jr. and Kathy of Dillwyn.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Morris and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Crews of Portsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morris both of Appomattox; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan of Appomattox.

Mrs. Ray Repass celebrated her birthday Wednesday as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Repass at Parkway Restaurant. Other guest were Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Beasley, Sr. and Mrs. T. N. Saul.

Visitors of Billy Chappell at Southside Community Hospital Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. Henson Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Morris and family were among those enjoying brunswick stew at Bethel Methodist Church Sun.

Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan at Appomattox were Mrs. Don Morris and boys, Mrs. C. H. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glover of Lynchburg were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Lucy Glover.

Kenneth Morris of Lynchburg was home with his parents for the week end, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morris.

Home Demonstration Clubs have a new name, they are now known as Virginia Extension Homemakers Council. The Chestnut Grove Homemakers Council met at the home of Mrs. W. T. Cook Tuesday.

Rural Cooperatives Face Rate Hike

Virginia's rural electric cooperatives were hit today by a highly inflationary 23.96 percent rate increase proposal by the Virginia Electric and Power Company (VEPCO).

Rural electric leaders claim the new rate violates a long-standing working agreement between the cooperatives and VEPCO. Historically, the rural electric cooperatives of the Commonwealth have been restricted to electric distribution in rural areas, and VEPCO has the generation and transmission rights. This agreement was established by the State Corporation Commission (SCC) in the Old Dominion case some twenty years ago.

At that time the cooperatives considered VEPCO's rates excessive and proposed to generate and transmit their own electrical requirements. VEPCO intervened with the SCC, however, and the outcome was that the SCC forbade the cooperatives to generate their own power. A wholesale rate low enough so that the cooperatives could offer retail rates comparable to VEPCO residential rates was offered, and the SCC directed that the cooperatives accept this rate.

From that time until now, Virginia's electric cooperatives have accepted their role handed down by the SCC, but VEPCO's proposed rate increase is aimed at striking down established agreements.

The new rate proposal is a two-part rate based both on demand and energy. A new feature of the proposal is the demand clause, which places a substantial financial burden on small delivery points between VEPCO and cooperative lines. The State Corporation Commission (SCC) encouraged, and in some instances required, cooperatives to observe the small delivery point concept. Now, if the VEPCO proposal is granted, the cooperatives will be penalized for living-up to their agreement of some 20-years standing.

Additional aspects of the proposed rate increase are a fuel clause to cover cost increases in fossil fuels and a summer ratchet feature which increases the cost of electricity in the summer when the demand is greater.

Electric cooperatives, by law, make no profit. Thus, any large increase imposed upon the cooperatives must be apportioned to the individual members of each cooperative.

The dollar increase to the 15 rural electric cooperatives of Virginia would amount to $2,648,410.36. In 1971, the total revenue which the cooperatives paid VEPCO was $11,051,911.76. The total revenue of the proposed rates would be $13,700,322.12.

VEPCO has notified the cooperatives of its intention to file the new rate proposal with the Federal Power Commission on, or after, November 15, 1972. The rate, if granted, would become effective 60 days later.

EVERGREEN

Mr. J. M. Harvey returned home from the hospital Saturday.

Mr. Frank Glover left Saturday for Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mabel S. White of Lynchburg, Mrs. Burk and children of Greenboro, N. C. visited Mrs. J. C. Staples over the week end.

Mrs. Charlie Johnson and Mrs. Beverly Daughtery of Franklin spent the week end in the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Smith.

Mrs. Katie Austin of Phenix visited Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Austin.

Mr. Buford Cocke of Roanoke and Mrs. Mabel Adams of Oakville visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cocke and Dorothy over the week end.

A number of ladies called to see Mrs. W. C. Paulette Sunday evening.

Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham was at Lynchburg last week.

Mr. Garland Mayberry of Lynchburg and Mrs. Jessie Carwile of Appomattox and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Inge of Farmville visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harvey over the week end.

Mrs. Katie Allen has returned home from the hospital.

Mrs. Rachel Paulette visited Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dixon and family spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. O'Brien of Roxboro, N. C.

Mrs. Lula Farmer of Webber City and daughter, Miss Mabel Farmer are visiting Mrs. Clara Garrett and Mrs. Alice Jackson.

GOOD NEWS
352-7900

Oysters "R" in Season All Year

Blacksburg - Oyster lovers no longer need to restrict their appetites to those months whose names contain the letter "R".

George Flick, assistant professor of food science and technology at Virginia Tech says that contemporary harvesting, processing, packaging, and refrigeration methods make these seafood delicacies available to the consumer all year.

Oysters are very perishable, especially during warm weather or if left unrefrigerated for any length of time. Also, oysters spawn in the early summer and during this time they become watery, contain little solid meat, and lack flavor. Consequently, before the advent of modern harvesting and preserving techniques, it was considered dangerous to eat oysters during the months of May, June, July and August.

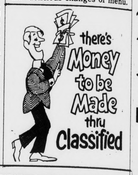
Oysters are now harvested during their prime season and are packaged and refrigerated so that they may be marketed throughout the year. Fresh oysters, in their shells or packaged in cardboard containers, will remain fresh for a week or 10 days if refrigerated or packed in ice. Canned or frozen oysters will remain fresh indefinitely if the cans are unopened or they remain frozen. The Extension seafood technologist cautions, however, that oysters should be eaten soon after they are removed from their containers and that frozen oysters, once thawed, should never be re-frozen.

Consumers unfamiliar with oysters may question their edibility because of some odd appearance characteristics such as green gills, an overall greenish tinge, red to dark red coloration, and brown spots. These characteristics are normal and do not indicate that the oyster would be harmful to eat, Flick says.

Flick explains that green gills are caused by the chlorophyl contained in the plants eaten by oysters. Greenish or red coloration is caused by harmless copper concentrates and red pigments contained in the oysters food. Brown spots are caused by normal biochemical reactions.

However, he cautions the consumer to be on the lookout for pink coloration of oysters or their liquor. This is caused by the formation of yeasts and is the result of unsanitary harvesting or processing conditions. Such oysters are not safe to eat.

So, forget the old saying. Oysters "R" in season all year and will provide many welcome and delicious changes of menu.



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THURSDAY
OCTOBER
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SPOUT SPRING

Jack Williams and other members of the APPOMATTOX COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD and some volunteer helpers will be in the Spout Spring area on Thursday night, October 12th to seek donations for the local Rescue Squad. Welcome them with a smile and a donation to this worthy cause and they will return the smile and give you a receipt for your generous contribution. Remember, Thursday - October 12, leave your porch light on, the latch string out, your dogs tied-up, the Rescue Squad'll be coming your way! "Give So More Will Live"

WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER
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VERA
HOLLYWOOD
HIXBURG

If you live in or around VERA, HOLLYWOOD or HIXBURG, you will have a visitor on Wednesday night, October 18th. They can't "tarry" long, but will stop by for your contribution to the APPOMATTOX COUNTY RESCUE SQUAD'S annual Fund Drive. The goal this year is $10,000.00 and the slogan is "Give So More Will Live". When the volunteers, headed up by Harry Ferguson, Toby Inge and Grover Beasley, Jr., stop by your house, give generously to help this worthy cause. Remember, on Wednesday night, leave your porch light on, the latch string out and the dogs tied up, the Rescue Squad'll be coming your way.

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Russell Moore
Supt. - Wilson
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every Sunday
Wednesday
Connie Gar
Monday after
8:00 p.m.
UNITED CHURCH
Leader - David
Supt. - R. B.
Morning Worship -
School - 11 a.m.
Sunday Morning
Church School
2nd 5th Sunday:
- 10 a.m.
Prayer - 7 p.m.
- 1st and 3rd
p.m.
Director
Thurs. follow
at 8:00 p.m.
1st Monday 8:00
Service: 1st
Sunday at 8 p.m.
UNITED CHURCH
Russell Moore
Supt. - O.W.
each Sunday 10
Sundays Morning
11 a.m.
- 2nd and 4th
p.m. Mrs. Clark
Service: 3rd
Wednesday at 8:00
Thursday after
Sunday at 8:00 p.m.
UNITED CHURCH
Virginia
Roger, Minister
Franklin, Lay As-
Sundays: Morning
a.m.
11 a.m.
Sundays: Sunday
a.m. Morning
a.m.
Prayer Meet-
at Parsonage
UNITED CHURCH
& Court Streets
E. Riley, Jr.
10 a.m.
Ben Wheeler
a.m.
Youth Fellowship
p.m.
Sanctuary Choir

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Richard C. Brackin, Pastor
Appomattox, Virginia
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Morning Worship - 11 a.m. - Training Union - 6:30 p.m. - Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY - Prayer Meeting - 7:30 p.m.

ELON BAPTIST CHURCH
Pamplin, Va.
John P. Campbell, Pastor
Sunday 9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
6:30 Youth Choir Practice
7:30 Church Training Hour
WEDNESDAY
8:00 Prayer Meeting
8:30 Choir Practice

GLADSTONE MEMORIAL
Gladstone, Virginia
Billy G. Washburn, Pastor
1st and 3rd Sundays: Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. - Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays: Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m. - Sunday School - 10:45 a.m.
Every Sunday Night: Evening Worship - 7 p.m. - Choir Practice will follow

LIBERTY CHAPEL
Route 1, Appomattox, Va.
Billy G. Washburn, Pastor
Order of Services:
1st and 3rd Sundays: Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m. Sunday School - 10:45 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays: Sunday School - 10 a.m. Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Bible Study and Choir Practice Tuesday night - 7:30 p.m.

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL
Oakleigh Avenue
Rev. E. M. Peoples, Vicar
9:30 Morning Prayer & Sermon - Church School - Nursery
10:30 Coffee Hour

APPOMATTOX PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 11 a.m.
Youth Service - 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Service - Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting - 7:30 p.m.

RED OAK BAPTIST CHURCH
G. Edward Hughes, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Robert Lucado - Director
Training Union - 6:30 p.m.
Berkley Cabiness- Director
First and Third Sunday:
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Preaching - 10:55 a.m.
Training Union - 6:30 p.m.
Second & Fourth Sunday:
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Training Union - 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.
Fifth Sunday:
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Training Union - 6:30 p.m.
No Preaching:
Mid Week Prayer Service Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

SPOUT SPRING BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. L. L. Schwemer, Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Training Union - 7 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Choir Practice Wed. 8 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Youth Meeting - 6:45 p.m.
Choir Practice - 7 p.m.
Evening Service - 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY - Prayer Meeting - 7:30 p.m.

GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. R. Q. Lawing, Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m. - Preaching: 1st Sunday - 11 a.m. - 3rd Sunday - 11 a.m.
Choir Rehearsals: Children's Choir - Each 2nd Sunday immediately following Sunday School.
Adult Choir - Wednesday at 7 p.m. before each 1st and 3rd Sunday.
Junior Choir - Tuesday at 7 p.m. before each 1st and 3rd Sunday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jerome Murray, Pastor
Appomattox, Virginia
Church School - 9:45 a.m.
J. A. Hamlet - Supt.
Worship - 2nd and 4th Sunday 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir - rehearsal Thursday - 4:30 p.m.

BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lay Leader - Russell Moore
Church School Supt. - Wilson Garrett
2nd and 4th Sundays: Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Church School (every Sunday 11 a.m.)
2nd and 4th Sundays: U. M. Y. F. meets at the church at 7 p.m. W.S.C.S. - meets the Tuesday after the 2nd Sunday - 7:30 p.m.

OLD CONCORD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Spout Spring, Virginia
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Preaching - 11:00 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Preaching by Rev. Jim Yount

THE CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Service - 7:30 p.m.

APPOMATTOX COURT HOUSE PRES. CHURCH
Sunday School – 9:45 a.m.
Supt. – Brod Pack
Worship Service – 11 a.m.
Speaker, Rev. James Patrick Kelly
Choir Rehearsal– 7:30 p.m, October 19th;
Family night Supper–6:30 p.m.
Rev. Albright and Mr. Ryland Watts will discuss Fund Drive for Camp Hat Creek. All church members are urged to attend this meeting.

SERVICES AT CHESTNUT GROVE

The Rev. J. E. West will preach at the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church on Sunday, October 15, 1972, in Appomattox.

Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the public is cordially invited to attend.

The service is being sponsored by Mrs. Margaret Lampkin for the benefit of the Building Fund.

"Singspiration"

A "Singspiration" will be held at Rocks Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday night, October 21, sponsored by the Fellowship Class of the church.

The musical program will be presented by Calvary Youth Choir of Concord, the Rev. Leon A. Lawrence of the Methodist Circuit and Lauren Jefferson from Gladys.

Make plans to attend this inspirational "Singspiration".

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Ordained Minister

John P. Franklin, Jr., was ordained to the gospel ministery by Lakewood Baptist Church, Buncombe Association, Black Mountain, North Carolina, on October 8, 1972.

He is now serving as pastor of Lakewood Church. John is married to the former Brenda Lee Clapp of Route 1, Appomattox.

Ordination Service At Elon Church

A service of ordination for three new deacons will be held on October 15, 1972 at 7:30 at the Elon Baptist Church in Pamplin. The three men who are to be ordained are J. Carlton Harris, William D. Hix, and Ralph Inge. Rev. Virgil Hudson, Pastor of the Evergreen Baptist Church, will bring the message. All friends of the Church are cordially invited to attend the service at 7:30 and a reception for the families of the new deacons immediately following the service. A nursery will be provided for babies and pre-school children.

SPOUT SPRING W M U TO MEET OCT. 17th

The Women's Missionary Union of the Spout Spring Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Edith Franklin on Tuesday, October 17th at 7:30 p. m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Deryl B. Holliday, Pastor
Vera, Virginia
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.
New Members Class 6:30 p.m.
1st and 3rd Sunday Youth Choir - 6:30 p.m.
2nd and 4th Sunday Mission Friends, Children in Action, G.A.'s and Acteens.
Monday - Royal Ambassadors 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.

Mt. Airy Reports Successful Revival

The local Mount Airy Baptist Church reported a very successful revival last Friday evening at its closing service. The pastor, Rev. H. W. Pryor, announced 21 additions to be added to the membership of the church. All the candidates are asked to meet at the Springfield Baptist Church this Saturday for the annual baptism service.

An informative meeting of the local chapter of the NAACP was held at the Mount Airy Baptist Church last Monday evening. All who attended were well informed on some of the policies of the Appomattox School Board. Superintendent Eugene Peyton was the guest speaker.

Plans have been completed for the annual meeting of the East and West Bound Sun. day School Union to be held at the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church on the fifth Sunday morning in this month at 10 a.m. All schools are asked to send delegates and bring a special talent for the youth program. The pastor of the church will bring the annual sermon. The public invited to attend.

Impressive services were held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The Rev. Barry Williams, pastor of the New Vine Baptist Church, was the guest speaker. All who attended enjoyed the service.

The pastor, officers and members of the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church are asking all members to plan to attend the regular evening service on the fourth Sunday evening in this month at 7 p.m. The Rev. Freeman Johnson will be the guest speaker. Each member is asked to bring a love gift for Rev. Johnson. The Junior Choir will render music.

The choir festival held at the Mount Obed Baptist Church last Sunday evening was a great success. Seven local choirs took an active part. The program was given for the benefit of the local Mount Obed Choir.

All officers and members are cordially invited to attend the regular preaching service at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m. The Rev. H. J. Henderiks will have charge of the service and deliver the morning message.

Rev. R. Q. Lawing was the guest minister at the St. Joy Baptist Church last Sunday morning at the 11:30 service. A large crowd attended the regular worship.

Mrs. F. J. Lawing and son, Timotheous, motored to Baltimore last Friday and were the guests of her daughter. Mrs. Jackie Poteat and family.

Mrs. Lactris Goode spent the week end in Baltmore as the guest of Mrs. Georgia Webb Jones.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Dorothy Stevens in the death of her aunt. Mrs. Howard of New York City, and also the Mrs. Elizabeth Scott of Concord, Va. in the death of her father, Mr. Douglass Patterson.

CHURCH YARD SALE

The women of St. Anne's Episcopal Church will sponsor a yard sale at the Church (Oakleigh Avenue) on Saturday, October 28 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Come and look over the "trash and treasure" which will be for sale.

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST
Red House, Virginia
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Preaching - 11 a.m. - 2nd Sun.
7:30 p.m. - 4th Sunday

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Concord, Virginia
David Boger, Pastor
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Order of Services -
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship – 6:30 p.m.
Bethlehem Junior Choir–grades
Tuesday:
3 thru 6 – 6:45 p.m.
Children's Church Service–7:30
Adult Sanctuary Choir –7:45
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting –7:30 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Rufus B. McDannell, Pastor
Sabboth School Lesson 2 - Oct. 8 -14, 1972
Subject; God's Warnings
Scripture Text; "And now I have told you before it come to pass that when it is come to pass, ye might believe". John 14:29.

Part 1. God communicates with man. Amos 3:6,7 Shall a trumpet be blown in the city and the people not be afraid? Shall there be evil in a city and the Lord hath not done it? Surely the Lord God will do nothing but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets". Today men and nations are being tested by the plummit in the hand of Him who makes no mistakes. All are by their own choice deciding their destiny and God is overruling all for the accomplishment of his purposes.

FAMILY NIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Members of the Appomattox Courthouse Presbyterian Church will observe Family Night with a Covered Dish Supper, Thursday, October 19, at 6:30 p. m. Guests will include Mr. Ryland Watts, Fork Union Presbyterian Church and Rev. Fred Albright, Pastor of Mayesville Presbyterian Church, Buckingham, who will discuss the Capital Funds Campaign for Camp Hat Creek which has been approved by Appomattox Presbytery.

The Campaign will run for three years, 1973-1975, and the fund used for needed camp facilities.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Judy of Blacksburg was home for the week end. They visited the Davidson family and Mr. and Mrs. Dancey McCraw.

LADIES BOWLING LEAGUE

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Rolingstones	6	3
Flintstones	6	3
Alleycats	3	6
Unknowns	3	6
Mighty Mites	1	8

High Score- Peggy Clark 123
High Set- Mary Martin 331

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

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Country Club	6	3
Best Furniture Co	6	3
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Garment Co.	4	5
Lawson Ford	1	8

High Score-James Paulett 138
High Set - Wallace Haley 376

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